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## **Senate Concurrent Resolution 11**

Sponsored by Senator GORDLY; Senator CARTER

Whereas Multnomah County Circuit Judge Clifford L. Freeman, who was born on June 2, 1944, passed away on August 21, 2006; and

Whereas Judge Clifford L. Freeman received an undergraduate degree in economics, a master's degree in education and a law degree from the University of Oregon; and

Whereas Judge Clifford L. Freeman served as a felony trial attorney for the Metropolitan Public Defender's office from 1979 to 1988; and

Whereas Judge Clifford served as a pro tempore Juvenile Court Referee for Multnomah County before he was appointed to the bench in 1996; and

Whereas Judge Clifford L. Freeman was one of the driving forces behind the development of Multnomah County's Community Court Project that brought courtrooms into neighborhoods to handle crimes that were not considered high profile; and

Whereas Judge Clifford L. Freeman was the first judge to preside over the Northeast Community Court, based at the King Neighborhood Facility in Northeast Portland; and

Whereas as presiding judge of the Northeast Community Court, Judge Clifford L. Freeman found ways that defendants could aid the community as part of their sentence; and

Whereas Judge Clifford L. Freeman was known to his colleagues as personifying the qualities of a good judge, a public servant and a mentor; now, therefore,

## Be It Resolved by the Legislative Assembly of the State of Oregon:

That we, the members of the Seventy-fourth Legislative Assembly, extend our deepest sympathies to Judge Clifford L. Freeman's family, friends and all those persons whose lives he affected in the community he served.

Adopted by Senate April 5, 2007
Secretary of Senate
President of Senate
Adopted by House May 10, 2007
Speaker of House